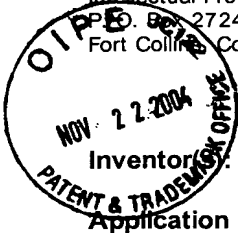


**ORIGINAL**

PATENT APPLICATION

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 200302341-1



IN THE  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Thomas P. SAWYERS et al.

Confirmation No.: 2121

Application No.: 10/034,718

Examiner: Fritz M. Fleming

Filing Date: 12/28/2001

Group Art Unit: 2182

Title: A TECHNIQUE FOR CONVEYING OVERLOAD CONDITIONS FROM AN AC ADAPTER TO A LOAD POWERED BY THE ADAPTER

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment ( ) Petition to extend time to respond  
(X) New fee as calculated below ( ) Supplemental Declaration  
( ) No additional fee  
(X) Other: Change of Correspondence Address, Application (fee \$                     )

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	26	MINUS	22	= 4	X \$18	\$ 72
INDEP. CLAIMS	10	MINUS	6	= 4	X \$88	\$ 352
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$300	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$430.00	3RD MONTH \$980.00	4TH MONTH \$1530.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 424

Charge \$ 424 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas P. SAWYERS et al.

By 

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	Conveying Overload	§		
	Conditions From An AC	§		
	Adapter To A Load	§		
	Powered By The Adapter	§		

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 8, 2004**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: November 17, 2004

**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office action of September 8, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 8 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 13 of this paper.

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